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PROOFS LABOR MINING CLAIMS CROWD RECORD

Miners Turn In Great Number To Hold Property Result Present Mining Revival

Proofs of labor on unpatented mining claims in the county have been pi in fast on County Recorder Sam J. Clark and Deputy Miss Lenore Steger the past couple of weeks. The following is a continuation of the list published two weeks ago:

Blue Jay quartz et al by Jas. Field.
Davis Extension and Blue Jay by Harry Wood.
Star Ext. and Edward L. et al by H. A. Moss.
Slide Extension et al quartz by R. J. Dahlberg.
Starlight quartz by Wm. F. Hayes.
Booth Poin and Rattlesnake quartz by Theo. M. Poage.
Feairy et al by N. F. Fairbanks.
Posey et al quartz by O. F. Donnelly.
Merger Ext. et al placer by W. W. Kallenberger.
Sumner et al quartz by A. W. Johnson.
Paddy Craney Ext. No. 2 quartz Coe and Graney group placer by Mrs Susie Wear.
Wisdom and Rainbows End Cons. quartz by T. C. McGagin.
Lucky Strike placer by T. C. McGagin.
R & M placer by B. P. Rich.
Cherry Hill et al placer by H. C. Lewis.
South Banner quartz by Nilon & Nilon.
Argonne quartz by W. L. Davies.
Serpentine No. 1 by L. V. Dorsey.
Liberty Bell quartz by George H. Whiting.
Gold Ridge et al by Frank Peri.
Black Sand placer by H. V. Eaton.
Oak Flat No. 1 et al and Placer Queen No. 1 et al by Thomas H. Scadden.
Bellefontaine Ext. by Edward Holland .
Kearns-Protzman placer by Robert Protzman.
Willows placer and Risk quartz by eGorge W. Erway.
Lost Lead placer by H. Halermiller
White Queen et al by C. C. Bennets
South Bend et al by David Jansen
Hoge West Extension et al by A. W. Hoge.
Gold River placer by E. M. Cota.
McKenzie Mines quartz and placer by Wm. A. McKenzie.
George Washington quartz by Nahum Eames.
Blue Ledge quartz by Frank Nelson.
Independence quartz by E. J. N. Ott.
Morning Sun by Bruce Leary.
Porphyry Dike by Denis Donovan.
Monarch et al quartz by T. J. Dailey.
Indpendence placer by H. R. Ogden.
Golden Gate et al and Rose Valley placer by J. W. O'Neill.
Mah Jong et al by H. C. Osborn.
Squirrel Creek gold mine by Hennessy & Kelly.
Mountain Chief et al by Sherman Hecker.
Mystery Ext. quartz by Charles S. Deacon.
Union No. 4 placer by W. S. Bigelow.
Washington Tunell by C. R. Bennett.
Thelma Agnes placer by M. L. Edminster.
Golden King et al placer and Ruby quartz by A. J. Edminster.
Hazel Green placer by John K. Williams.
Red Hill quartz by W. H. Fippin.
New Mayflower quartz by B. A. Penhall.
Colorado quartz by Charles Kistle.
Ocher quartz by P. C. Peteron.
Bunker Hill et al quartz and placer by P. C. Peterson.
Maxine et al by W. B. Hill.
St. Johns quartz by Mrs. Jeanette Orzalli.
McKinley, Neversweat and Monarch quartz by Andrew Fitzgerald.
Mammoth Spring quartz and gravel by William Maguire.
Caribou placer by Wm. Maguire.
Blood Nos. 1, 4, and 5 placer by H. W. Blood.
West Star, Monte and Big Hill quartz by Sherman Warren.
Orleans No. 4 quartz by W. D. Chappell.
Acton quartz by Ethel A. Coughlan
Stover quartz by M. M. Coughlan.
Dawson City placer by B. F. Waite
Wheeling, Ohio, Nevada and West Xirginia quartz by F. B. Mainhardt.
Sincere placer by George Dulac.
Indiana anl The Income by Carlton Thompson.
Lupine placer by F. B. Mainhardt.
Happy Jack, Gem placer, Wisconsin No. 2, New Homeward oBund, Mills No. 1, Old Houston Mill by F. W. Nobs.
Arcturus quartz by John J. Reilly.
Bonanza placer by W. L. Mobley.
Pathfinder, Maryland, Bowser and Star o fthe East by John J. Reilly.
Columbia Hill Nos. 1and 2, Miocene Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 placer by Charles Howlett.
Tulip, Buttercup, Howlett, Elkhorn and Rose Bud placer by Charles Howlett.
Kennebec Cons. placer by Mrs. C. B. O'Connor.
Nevada by Mrs. E. F. Hughes.
Murchie and Sailor placer by E.

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YUBA MINE POSSESSES INTERESTING HISTORY

The Yuba mine above Washington on the South Yuba river, possesses an interesting history and has the distinction of having the second located claim in the history of Nevada county mining. The claim in question is almost 50 acres in extent, something very unusual as from almost the earliest days 20 acres has been recognized as the accepted size.

The mine which has a past production record of two million dollars, is owned by A. Worswick of San Francisco, and the Ostrander estate. The property has not been operated during a number of years past owing to liligation but after years this has been entirely cleared up and there is a possibility of the property being operaed again. Yearly inspections have been made to prevent deterioration. Valuable water rights are held by the property and a 1700 foot tunnel has been kept open.

Mr. Worswick has been making frequent trips to the property of late and returned yesterday to the city after spending the past week there.

MURCHIE OPERATIONS ARE CONTINUING NICELY

Unwatering of the Murchie workings was completed to the 800 level Saturday and at 11 that night work of carrying the work to the bottom of the 1150 foot shaft was commenced. The water is being lowered at the rate of eight feet a day.

When the 1000 level is reached, drifting operation will be commenced on that level. Tributers are working a block of ground on the Independence ground and milling operations on rock from their ground was started today.

VICTORY HIWAY MARKER DEDICATED NEXT WEEK

The Vitory Highway memorial marker whch has been erected at the Nevada-California line will be dedicated on the 24th with imposing ceremonies with a number of notable persons present. The motor calavacade will return by way of the Yuba Pass. The Nevada County Promotion Board is arragingin a luncheon at Grass Valley for the party.

LOCAL RURAL ROUTE TO FUNCTION DAILY NOW

After being on a three tme a week basis for some years, the local route piloted by John T. Webster started today on a daily schedule which will be greatly appreciated by the patrons on that route. The installation of the new service follows some intensive effort on the part of Postmaster Phil Scadden and Mr. Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. George Redmayne have returned from a visit in Corte Madera.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McNamara were visitors from Tyler Friday evening.

Mr. and Mr. Elton Durbin of Sacramento have been here renewing old friendships.

The big fire truck went to Grass Valley Friday to answer a call for help in combatting a stubborn blaze in the Holbrook Annex.

The Ghidotti store on Sacramento street was entered Wednesday night and $40 cash taken from the till as well as a quantity of provisions. Not many clues were obtained by Sheriff Carter but it was apparently the work of some one familiar with the premies.

Mrs. T. W. Carson of Grass Valley is visiting her daughter in Modesto.

The case of John Macari vs Ed Granholm over the alleged biting of a child by the Granholm dog will be heard by Judge Dow tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

W. J. Culver was here from French Corral Saturday on business.

H. L. Baggerly, owner and publisher of the Los Gatos Mail Star was in town Saturday night on his way home from a trip up country. He was formerly publisher of the San Jose News.

Mrs. A. S. Lord who has been ill in the city, isreported as gaining steadily which will be welcome news to her many friends.

WISKER REFUSES USE OF WATER FLUME REPAIRS

Rebuilding Work Held Up As Manager Holds Up Water Needed In The Work

The Nevada Irrigation District management on Thursday refused to permit any water to be turned into the new sections of flume being built to put the North Bloomfield ditch into use again from Lake Bowman to North San Juan, for the purpose of floating lumber down the flume to points where it is needed. The work of rebuilding the flume which was commenced early last week has been temporarily shut down pending a settlement of the controversy between the district management and the Water Association.

The San Juan Ridge Water Association under its lease of the ditch systems of the Empire Mines & Investment Company and the Eureka Lake and Yuba Canal Company, Consolidated, has certain water rights on Canyon creek and in Bowman Lake which it is proposing to utilize through the rebuilding of the North Bloomfield ditch at the present time. The status of these water rights as The Nugget understands them is as follows:

On February 13th, 1926, the Empire Mines & Investment Company transferred to Nevada Irrigation District all its water rights and properties in connection therewith on Canyon creek and at Bowman Dam, reserving for the benefit of the water users on the San Juan Ridge a right to use the same amount of water as they were then using for so long only as such use would continue, after which this use and all rights to use such water on San Juan Ridge would cease and revert to Nevada Irrigation District.

Subsequently, Eureka Lake & Yuba Canal Co., Cons., secured permission to discontinue service of the reserved waters on San Juan Ridge and leased same together with the flume and ditch system to the water users, whose rights under the lease were recognized by the directors of the District.

In the transfer on February 13th, 1926, the Empire company reserved, also, some 50,000 acre feet of water per year at Bowman Dam to be used in the development of its mining properties on San Juan Ridge should occasion arise, but this use was restricted to mining purposes.

On June 4 ,1928, said water users on San Juan Ridge presented to the directors of the NID a petition to permit them to use, in addition to watrs now dedicated to domestic and irrigation use on San Juan Ridge, 25,000 acre feet of water at Bowmans, or just one half of the amount which the Empire interests is entitled for mining purposes. The permision sought by the water users was to be ubject to all the limitations and restrictions of the Empire agreement and was to be operative only at such times as the Empire company should not make use of its larger water rights at Bowmans. The directors appointed Messrs. A. L. Wisker and F. M. Miller a committee to consider the matter jointly with the committee of the water users, after which the water users were requested to place the matter in writing which was done.

On July 5th, 1928, Wisker and Miller rejected the propoed settlement and stated that no further water rights could be granted the San Juan Ridge water users by the District. The following is the written answer of the district committee to the written proposal of the water users:

Grass Valley, Cali.,
July 12, 1928.

San Juan Water Users Assn.,
Cf. Lynn Kelly,
Gras Valley, Cal.
Gentlemen:

In reply to a written communication dated June 16, 1928, and submitted to Mr: F. M. Miller and myself representing Nevada Irrigation District by your committee consisted of Messrs. McCullough, Conner, Clerkin and Moulton, I regret to be compelled to take the position that each and every of the proposals submitted are contrary to best interest of Ne-

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GRACIE MINE IS SHUT DOWN AS WATER LEAKS

New Ditch Poured Water Into Working Shaft At Great Rate, Closing Property

The Gracie Mine was forced to suspend operations Saturday and was in danger of being flooded on account of leaks and seepage from the Deer Creek canal of the N. I. D. The water is taken across the immediate vicinity of the Gracie shaft by a double line of corrugated culvert pipe 200 feet in length which is covered by 6 or 8 feet of earth and it is evidently defective joining of this pipe which is causing all the trouble.

The district officials are making desperate efforts to stop the flow by puddling with dirt from the sides of the canal and a large part of the ditch bank has already been thrown back into the canal without apparent effect.

In the meantime streams of water continue to pour in through the sides of the vertical shaft and the carmen have been forced to operate the cars in from 8 to 10 inches of water and it is with considerable difficulty that the water is kept from flooding the mine and stopping all work.

In Hiscox ravine, just south of the Gracey there is at least 20 miners inches of additional water from leakage through the canal and those who have water rights along this stream are loud in their praises of Allah for his kindness in what promised to be a rather dry season.

BAD FIRE WAS AVERTED THROUGH EARLY FINDING

Discovery of a smouldering blaze under the sidewalk grating in front of Dr. R. F. Werner's offices in the Muller building about 11 last night checked in its incipiency what might have become a bad blaze. Hose was brought from the nearby fire house and the area drenched.

GRASS FIRES BURN OVER LARGE SOUTH ACREAGE

Over 3200 acres of grazing land in the southern part of the county were burned last wek and gave State Fire Ranger Will F. Sharpe a lot of hard work bringing it under control. The blaze tarted near the old Garden Valley grade, presumably by a party of hunters. Over 1500 acres on the W. J. Sanford place, 300 acres on the R. L. Alderman ranch, 900 acres on the Freeman and 500 on the Bert Miller were burned as also a barn on the Sanford place.

A crew of nearly forty men were on the fire line from Monday morning untli Wednesday afternoon.

LEGION CAMP STEW ON SUNDAY DIKEMAN GROVE

The second annual camp stew of the county Legionnaires will be held next Sunday at Dkemans Grove in Penn Valley and promises to be largely attended. Breakfast will be served in the morning and stew at noon. There will be plenty doing all day to provide entertainment.

NEVA REBEKAH OFFICERS WERE INSTALLED LAST WEEK

The newly elected officers of Neva Rebekah Lodge were installed last week by the District Deputy, Mrs. W. J. Eddy of Colfax. Mrs. M. Wilson is the Noble Grand, Lina Towle vice grand, Katie Eddy conductor, Esther Tremaine chaplain, Hattie Thomas and Jane Baker, right and left supporters of the N. G., Jennie Shearer and Mary Clendenen right and left supporters of the V. G., Mamie Parsons inner guard, Reuben Hecker outer guard.

Arnold Murchie has reumed his duties at the bank following his confinement at the Woodland clinic.

C. R. Clark of the Service Garage has been quite ill at his home.

Mrs. E. J. N. Ott has been visiting relatives in Sacramento.

FISTICUFFS FEATURES EXCLUSION PROCEEDING

The exclusion hearings which were being conducted the past week on behalf of the Placer county landowners who deire to dissociate themselves from the confines of the NID were resumed last Tuesday but after running into the following day, they wereput over until the 24th.

The state boxing commission will be interested in learning that the retiring manager of the ditrict may endeavor to qualify in the squared arena as he was reported trying to practice on the physiognomy of W. G. Hemphill of Roseville at one stage in the proceedings. His fist is said to have grazed Hemphill's chin to start a fracas but before Hemphill could wheel his heavy artillery into action the impending encounter was checked by the onlookers. Hemphill is reputed well able to take care of himself and it may have been lucky that he wasnt permitted to get under way.

Lake Bowman is reported 20 to 25 feet below the crest of the dam and going down fast. But little water has been coming through the tunnel.

Reports from the city are to the that the district manager is preparing to spring a fast one on a new managerial contract with the district and that he is still trying to land a contract for his mythical PED power.

NEW GAS HOLDER HAS NEW CONSTRUCTION IDEA

The new gas holder which is being erected by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company at the Hills Flat plant is attracting a great deal of interest among gas engineers of the company as it embodies some advanced ideas of holder construction.

While a holder of but 10,000 cubic fet capacity, it has not been constructed along the conventional lines. Electric welding has been used, obviating the use of all rivets and bolts. It will be watched carefully and if tests prove its efficacy this type of construction will doubtless be followed by the company in the future.

PELLEGRINI DEFENDANTS DISMISSED THIS MORNING

Judge Horace B. Dow this morning in justice court on the showing of evidence dismissed the charges againt Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pellegrini, Peggy Smith and E. R. Dillon alias Slim O'Neill on charges of attempted murder.

Leon Christenson, the complaining witnes testified that he had gone to the Pellegrini place about 8:30 on Sunday night, July 1st and after buying three or four drinks, had an argument with Dillon who hit him in the eye with his fist. He was of the opinion then that ome one had hit him over the head with a club and that he had come to the next morning on the bank of Deer creek. This was developed under examination of District Attorney Wright. E. H. Armstrong appearing for the defendants was unable to learn the nature of the quarrel, witness being evasive.

The various defendants were put on the stand and their testimony differed materially from that of Christensons. A surprise wtness for the prosecution was Herbert Costa who testified that he and Christenon had gone to the Pellegrini place Saturday night and had bought a pint of jack. He had not been around on the occasion when Christenson claimed he had been at the Pellegrini place at the time of the alleged assault.

After a litle by play betwen the opposing attorneys, the judge held that the evidence on the charge was not sufficient to bind the defendants over to superior court and dismissed the case.

The case filed by Frank Dillon against Gilman G. Brown and William J. Cleary in which Dillon charges defendants with damaging and destroying four amalgam plates to the extent of $200 will be heard in Judge Dow's court tomorrow morning.

Mr .and Mrs. R. J. Tremaine and daughter have been vacationing in the Yosemite Valley.

HOGE OPENS UP FINE SHOWING VALUE QUARTZ

New Exploration Company Is To Be Functioning Within 30 to 60 Days Says Hoge

Arthur W. Hoge reports that his preliminary work of prospecting on his quartz developments has so far proven highly satisfactory both as to values and size of ledges. He has so far opened up two ledges, varying in width from one to five feet. The lowest assay over a width of five feet on the big vein was a little over $11.00 per ton. On the smaller vein over a width of two feet the highest values were in excess of $200 per ton.

As it was only possible to sink the prospect shaft to a depth of 35 feet on acocunt of the water, further development work will be prosecuted on the property to determine the location of the main working shaft.

The new operating company will be known as the Hoge Development Company of Delaware and will have an authorized capital of $3,000,000. This company will be a consolidation of all the properties owned and controlled by Arthur W. Hoge et al of Nevada City, and Charles L. Walther et al of Aliquippa, Pennsylvania, and also the properties of the Penn-California Mining Company. The Hoge Development Company will therefore have in excess of 1000 acres in a solid block, and in one of the richest and best mineral zones in Nevada county.

The preliminary details have all been agreed upon by all of the principal parties interested and plans are now being perfected whereby the new company will be ready to function within the next 30 to 60 days, with ample capital to prosecute their work vigorously, and to be in a position to be into good production at an early date.

Both Messrs. Hoge and Walther have a high standing in this community and now that their success is quite apparently an assured fact, the whole population of this community are extending to them their good wishes and their hearty support, for adding to this already famous gold camp, another large producer, which is sure to be the case under their indominitable perserverance, together with their large acreage and such a fine showing of values in a proven mineral zone.

MRS. I. PENBERTHY IS NEW FOREST TELEPHONE AGENT

Mrs. I. Penberthy is now the telephone company agent at Forest and the exchange has been moved to her store at that place. Mrs. Laura Smith was the former agent. Mrs. Penberthy has been running a store at Forest for a number of years and will give excellent service to the patrons o fthe telephone company.

ROLLER SKATING OPENS

The Sizelove family who are operating a chain of roller skating rinks in the Santa Cruz Valley are opening a rink today at Olympia Park and may later open here if arrangements can be made for a building. The four children of the family are fancy skaters and give skating exhibitions.

Mrs. Ira Andrews has returned from her vacation and has reopened her dressmaking parlors, which will be pleasing news to her many customers and friends.

There is a call at this office for a small compressor, portable or having at least a two drill capacity. Communciate with this office at once if you have such property for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Glise of Lincoln were buiness visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deschwanden have returned to their home at Taft after a month's visit with Mrs. Des-Deschwanden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Huson. Miss Hattie Huson returned with them for a visit.

Mrs. M. P. Reilley of San Francisco has bben visiting her sisters, Mrs. Delia McCauley and Mrs. C. Scheemer.

Dr. E. L. Herrington came up from the city on receipt of the news that the irrigation ditch leakage was causing trouble at the Gracie mine.

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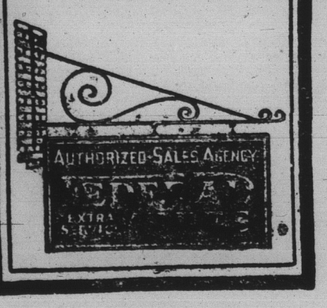

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COZY CORNER CHAT

THE DIRECTORS of the NID are reported considering the expenditure of some $10,000 to have some experts recommended by the bond purchasing syndicate make an audit of the District accounts. The Nugget cannot understand any willingness to dump more money into the morass when they can get the same results by asking the state officials to come in and make the audit at probably little or no expense to the ranchers. It would put much more weight and confidence into the project to get the state lined up at the present time. The directors have voted to ask for over two and a quarter million dollars worth of bonds to stop up the deficiency leaks in the district treasury, which would make over ten million issued against the project and the amount of revenue coming in this year is still quite problematical. It would be fine if there was sufficient water in Bowman to carry on at the rate it has been flowing into Spaulding since the patching up of the flume which was pronounced short size by The Nugget last year and which brought forth quite vituperative language by some of the manager's partisans, at the time. Just now the problem is to patch up up the leaks in the flat canal between Deer Creek and Wolf Creek. The bright engineers chose every mining property along the route to run the ditch through the surface works, it seems. There is a peck of trouble brewing over the leakage at the Gracey mine where the ditch passes through two pipes within a few feet of the shaft. If it were not that the Pittsburg shaft is filled up already there would doubless be trouble there. Flooding mining properties is an expensive pastime if it gets into the courts.

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BEAUTIFUL EULOGY WAS DELIVERED FOR NILON BY G. J. RECTOR AT ELKS

I would it were on any occasion, other than this sad one, that I had been called upon to say my few poor words of sympathy, of comfort, of praise and o fundying regret at the untoward passing of this life-long friend and neighbor—this business associate—this gallant youth— this well beloved, who, but a few short yesterdays ago, was among us, up and doing, and who now lies voiceless in his own behalf, mute—forever stilled.

How sadly would I bear witness to his engaging qualities, his ready smile his willing hands, his unflagging industry, his great noble heart, his unfailing sympathy for affliction and distress.

Today, I may no longer tell him. We can only pause beside this flower strewn bier to render all too late the homage of our hearts and speak out at last the unspoken words of happy days which have passed us by.

Thus, once again, it is borne in upon us how life is short and Time is fleeting— we are minded that we sieze the passing moment for acts of kindness to the living—that a single day may not prove too late and the morning find our friend departed on his lonely voyage, without the cheerful message and the tender token.

What can I say of Frank Nilon which is not known to all who knew him—this man of many friends? All of his young manhood was spent here in the town of his birth, and no own ever had more devoted son. He was so wrapped up in the welfare of his community that no movement or the public good was complete without him. His social adaptability was the rarest kind—his was the ever familiar figure at all of our gatherings— he was the fountain head of gaiety, of fun, of unfailing wisdom and good judgment and of plain common sense. No man ever had a readier sympathy for the poor and down-trodden—a higher sense of duty as a citizen, a greater loyalty to his family, to his friends and to his chosen profession. He possessed in a notable degree that love and enthusiasm for his chosen work without which no success is possible—and like his father before him, he carried into that work the very finest traditions of that distinguished profession.

He has been taken from us at the very threshold of his busy career—stricken on the hither verge of Life's green smiling slopes, the whilst Fortune and Fair promise beghast, still beckon on in vain.

It we are to appraise by acts of charity—if we are to judge by unyielding fidelity to duty, by unswerving tender devotion to wife and home and fireside—by loving care of father, mother, sister, brother—here then, my friends, was a man, indeed. His mark and his influence will endure bevond his time, and those that are left will listen long to the slowly dying echoes of his footsteps.

Philosophy, in vain, bids us cease mining. In our simple creed, it is just and seemly that we mourn the departed—that we gather here, today, to do him reverence, fondly to recall his virtues and his thousand pleasant ways. According to the tenets of our order it is due in Justice that we speak of the great good that was in him. Brotherly Love pleads that we weep at his passing and that we grieve with these families, so cruelly bereft— whilst Fidelity fixe high in the firmament the lovely star of Hope the unfaltering symbol of Immortality and of Faith that we shall indeed sometime meet again.

We are met, today, in these sad offices not to prolong a futile and melancholy contemplation of this heart breaking catastrophe, not, yet to parade the dire pomp and panoply of death. Let us then take some ray of comfort into our hearts and hope and believe that this young life is but as the semblance of some pale star of the morning.

We are met today in formal commemoration of this percious life which had been among us—but it is not so we say Farewell. This is the sad hour of the Amaranth, but out of today, and out of every day is set apart the hallowed hour of the Forget Me Not—when each of us shall once and yet again draw aside the obscuring veil of oblivion, and let Remembrance fondly gaze across the darkly flowing river and into the shadowy valley—when each shall invest our friend again with his every pleasing attribute, and each shall extend the hand in sweet salute against the hour— that certain hour —when the grey clouds of sorrow and of suffering shall have rolled away, and the darkness of the night, for each of us, shall have resolved itself into the bright untroubled dawning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Worth have returned from a motor trip to Reno by way of the Yuba Pass.

DUTCH FLAT RESIDENTS PETITION HIWAY COMISH

The people of Dutch Flat and vicinity have presented a numerously signed petition to the State Highway Commission with regard to a rerouting of the Victory Highway from Gold Run eastward from its present route. The following is the substance of the petition:

First, that the community of Dutch Flat is situated upon one of the proposed routes, being the only community of its size through which the highway along either route would pass between Colfax and Truckee.

That Dutch Flat is one of the historic spots of the state of California, and as such, entitled to be upon the main highway route, not only from a sentimental standpoint, but from a standpoint of tourist interest as well.

That the highway route as surveyed through Dutch Flat is the more practical of the two routes under consideration and would serve the public.

It is our understanding that it is the aim of your Honorable body to secure in so far as possible an "all year" highway. The route through Dutch Flat, the Bear River Canyon, Bear Valley and along Lake Spaulding would provide as nearly as possible such a highway, while, on the other hand, the other route under consideration would be virtually impassable from the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company's shelter house No. 1 to Crystal Lake during the winter months.

By routing the new highway through Dutch Flat a better gradient may be obtained, it being virtually a water grade from this point to Cisco.

From a scenic standpoint the Dutch Flat route is unsurpassed in California, the proposed link passing through hitherto unopened country of indescribable beauty.

Such a highway would undoubtedly serve to develop this country and would lead to the establishment of numerous summer homes, such as now border the stretch of highway from Truckee to Tahoe City.

The lower altitude of this route would render such homes available at least six weeks earlier in the spring and a similar length of time in the fall.

Another important feature that must not be overlooked in settling upon a route for the Gold Run-Cisco highway link is that the upper, or Emigrant Gap route is virtually under the Southern Pacific Snow sheds. A snowshed fire, the hazard of which is particularly great in the summer when the traffic is at its peak, would effectively block this route.

No such hazard exists on the Dutch Flat route, which has the additional advantage of being cooler and, because of the fact that it follows the course of Bear andYuba rivers, more free from dust.

It is our understanding that the proposed Ukiah highway will enter Bear Valley through Nevada county and the merging of the two highways would eliminate the duplication of several miles of costly construction.

We therefore urge that your Honorable body will give the Dutch Flat route your careful consideration in making your final decision, to the end that not only the best interests of this community, but of the entire state of California be served.

CAMPTONVILLE PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Shemrantine accompanied by Miss Hazel Stennis, all of San Francisco, on a short visit with relatives. All returned the same day except Mrs. Shermantine, who will spend a week visiting with her mother, Mrs. Jennie Kendall.

Mrs. M. A. Ramm of San Francisco arrived a few days ago and is the guest of Miss Roby Godfrey at Galena Hill. Mrs. Ramm is a former resident.

Cecil Hagerty of Nevada City was in town Monday.

Theodore Deal, of Grass Valley arrived Monday on a visit with relatives. He is a former resident of this place.

Walter Hanson left Monday after a short visit in this section.

Miss Ruth Grimes and Miss Nan O'Neill of Nevada City arrived early Wednesday morning after their uncle James Grimes at the American Flag Mine, all of them going to Nevada City that day.

Mrs. E. E. Stone arrived a few days ago from Hollywood and will spend the summer visiting at the Halkyard Mine.

Lester M. Jaynes arrived a short time ago and is now working at the Schmidt Saw Mill.

Master Leonard Pauly had the misfortune of cutting his head Wdenesday when he fell on a sharp rock.

Fred L. Arbogast and Dr. A. A. Arbogast were here from Oakland for the Nilon funeral.

NEW LEDGE PICKED UP IN FOOTWALL, TOMBOY

R. D. Dorris was in town Saturday from the Tom Boy mine above Forest. He reports picking up a new ledge on the footwall in the lower tunnel, the same ledge encountered in the upper tunnel. Crosscutting is being followed to determine the extent of the ledge which is at present showing a width of six feet. Encouraging values are shown.

The bodies of Henry J. Young, who shot his wife and then committed suicide in Oakland the past week, were brought to Nevada City and services held from the Holmes Funeral Home Thursday afternoon. The wife was formerly a Nevada City girl, nee Margaret Robinson. The services were conducted by Rev. C. W. Pearson and Rev. H. H. Buckner.

Mis Elma Hecker who was awarded the cake given away by the Fourth of July committee has presented the same to the inmates of the county home.

AMENDED SUIT SHOWS SOME PECULIARITIES

The amended suit filed by the Nevada Irrigation District against land owners on the Bear river shows that the Pacific Gas and Electric Company has been eliminated as a defendant in the matter. While William Maguire is listed as a defendant, there is no description given of any property owned by him.

The power company made such a strenous protest to the District over the Bear river situation that the amended suit was filed, and created a somewhat tense situation for the time.

The city council of Grass Valley has cut the tax rate 10 cents per hundred.

Mrs. M. T A.ndrews has returned from an extended visit in Sacramento with her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Joy. Mrs. Joy returned with her.

Guests at the Jackson home have been Mrs. George F. Hrust, Mrs. F. Bush and Mr. and Mrs. Morrs of San Francisco.

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MRS. LEOLA BUCK HAS SENATE ASPIRATIONS

Mrs. Leola May Buck, candidate for the Third Senatorial District has law offices in Lincoln and Roseville and has her campaign headquarters in both cities. Mrs. Buck is engaged in an active campaign and expects to be the first woman to serve as senator. California has had women in the Assembly and they have been re-elected so Mrs. Buck feels that the Senate should have a woman too.

Mrs. Buck has had a wide experience in her law practice of over sixteen years, her experience as a rancher, fruit raiser, deputy county clerk and deputy recorder and abstract clerk, state secretary of the State Women's Card and Label League, National officer in the Women's Relief Corps of G. A. R., officer in Womens' Benefit Association of Maccabees, Rebekahs, Auxiliary to American Legion, and many other clubs and orders.

Mrs .Buck is a mother and she with her husband live in Lincoln and their daughter attends the public schools there.

Mr. Buck is interested in mining and stock raising and assists in looking after their interests.

The boys are very eager to develop their muscle, except when the lawn has to be mowed.

If you would grow old gracefully don't try the new dances.

There are many days when the fish won't bite, but the suckers who buy the worthless stocks always will.

The people are urged to be open minded but they are more likely to be open mouthed.

The June bride's husband may be a very great man, but for some reason neither convention has nominated him for president or vice-president.

The fact that a delegate to the convention is uninstructed doesn't mean that nobody can tell him anything.

MADERA COUNTY

A strike is reported from the Buckeye Mountain mine near Coarse Gold It is at the southern tip of the Mother Lode. The strike was made while driving a crosscut to tap the vein at a depth of 120 feet. Two rounds in the hanging wall exposed several hundred pounds of ribbon quartz and schist. The vein is two feet in width and is in a granite and slate contact.

BUTTE COUNTY

P. J. Hurley of San Francisco is reopening his St. Francis mine at Forbestown. Drifting on a four foot ledge is in progress. The property was opened up in 1913 but owing to a fire in 1924 which destroyed the surface plant, operations were suspended.

Rich prospects are reported in the ground being opened up by the Gold Pan Dredging Company on the North Fork of the Feather river at Kanaka Bar.

The United States debt has been cut nearly nine billion dollars since the peak in 1919. Who said that Andy Mellon hadn't been earning his salary?

Now comes a doctor and says the way women dress their feet will cause them to have bow legs and feet like a horse. The way this doctor talks, he has ears like a Donk.

There is enough gang warfare in China just now to make even the boys in Chicago a little jealous.

The trouble with a great many husbands and wives seems to be that they are suffering from matrimonial indigestion—a sort of "cabin fever" as it were.

One disadvantage about going into a movie after it starts is you are apt to feel around in the dark for a seat and get hold of a pair of indignant knees.

We can remember when the only non-stop flights people knew anything about were those absconding bank cashiers who took to Canada.

It remains for the observer to declare that you can tell how much older a woman is than she says she is by how kittenish she acts.

THE NUGGET PAGE OF MINING NEWS

RARE JADE TAKEN FROM MINE IN BUTTE COUNTY

PULGA, Butte County—The Jade Mountain Mine near Pulga is one of the three known jade mines in the United States. Recently some valuable jade has been uncovered by W. H. King, owner of the mine. Beautiful specimens of white flecked with green have been taken out and this kind of jade is said to be rarely found.

Jade is found in masses varying in size, the deposits being technically called kidneys or pipes. These kidneys are often many feet apart without a tracing vein to lead to the location, causing considerable work of an exploring nature to find them.

On Monday dark green jade was uncovered at the mine. Some of the best specimens are being sent to San Francisco to be cut into stones of different shapes and sizes.

So far this mine has only been worked to shallow depth, which has mainly been surface exploration.

An exhibit of cut and uncut jade was entered by King at the State Fair last fall where it took first and second prize. It was also placed on exhibition at the Orange and Olive Exhibition at Oroville where it took first prize. —Mercury-Register.

EL DORADO COUNTY

New cyanide equipment is being installed at the Pyramid mine at Rescue. Capacity 100 tons. Shaft is sunk to depth of 700 feet and large tonnnage ore reported blocked out. J. G. Chambers of Beverly Hills is interested. C. E. Woods is in charge of operattons.

A cyanide plant is being installed at the Vandalia property.

Milling operations are reported commencing at the Avansino properties on Camp Creek north of Placerville. Property is under bond to the Parnall Gold Mines Corporation.

The Warren C. Green tract at Nigger Flat east of Placerville is being operated under option by the California Gold Development Company. Placer gold valued at $20.10 per ounce is reported. Property is credited with a past production of $6,000,000. New milling equipment with a capacity of sixty tons has been installed. C. A. Lacy is in charge of operations.

TUOLUMNE COUNTY

The Lost Channel gravel mine at Monumental Bar on the Stanislaus river is being opened up by C. B. Beck and Anson Bigler of San Francisco.

The Sledge gravel claims of 80 acres near Confidence are being opened up by L. S. Wilson and Oakland capitalists. An 850 foot tunnel has been run to reach the ancient river channel. An extra 800 feet is to be run.

The Geraldine quartz property in the Confidence district is being opened up by Arthur W. Sage and eastern capitalists. Electric power is to be installed. Drifts north and south will be run from the present 100 foot shaft. A 10 stamp mill is to be erected for development pruposes.

TRINITY COUNTY

The Seymour Placer Gold Mines, Inc. of Vancouver has purchased the Holland mine on the east fork of Coffee creek near Carrville from Mrs. Patrick Holland of San Mateo. The property has been pocket hunted in the past but the new owners expect to conduct extensive developments.

MARIPOSA COUNTY

Development work is progressing at the Colorado mine which is being operated by the Belmont Metals Corporation. The new shaft is down over 30 feet and making good progress. The shaft will be sunk to 300 feet.

The Rex mine on Saxon creek has been leased by Richard Jeffrey of the Yellow Metal mines. Machinery and materials are being assembled.

NEW METHODS PLACER MINING BEING TRIED OUT

C. V. Averill, manager of the northern branch of the state mining bureau, gave a talk before the Redding chamber of commerce recently on the subject of gravel mining. He said that this kind of mining was increasing in popularity among those seeking for the hidden gold of the streams.

The mining is largely hydraulic in Trinity, Siskiyou and Sierra counties while in Nevada, Plumas and in the Seneca district the drift mining is the favorite method.

Averill stated that the usual methods of trying to save gold in riffles are crude even when special devices have been used to save the fine gold, because a stream of water strong enough to wash away the coarse gravel will also wash away fine gold. Proof of this may be seen in old gravel deposits which have been worked over three and four times at a profit, notably in Plumas county.

In this age of refined machinery, when it has been developed to perform with a high degree of efficiency all kinds of difficult tasks, it is not surprising to find that efforts are being made to develop something which will save all of the gold from the gravel with one handling. A machine now in operation at Seneca and observed by Averill apparently accomplishes this.

The machine is set below the conventional sluice and riffles. The gravel flows from the sluice to a shaking hopper which contains a double screen. Coarse material is rejected over the tops of the screens, the fines pass through to a vibrating table made of corrugated metal, which, in the particular machine observed, was said to be saving 10 pounds of concentrate per ton of gravel, this concentrate being worth $1 per pound.

Vallecito at Angels Camp is said to have been obtaining excellent results with machines of this type for nearly a year and Averill urged any one interested in working gravels to investigate. —Siskiyou News.

"There's no demand for knee-pants," declares the observer, "but most of us men folks have to wear our pants too long."

In Mexican campaigns the women always accompany their husbands in the army, so the soldires are always kept in fighting trim.

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SISKIYOU COUNTY

Twenty tons of ore are being daily treated in the new stamp mill on the Lucky Mae property near Scott Bar. A revolving hammer stamp mill has been installed. A 175 foot drift has been run on the ledge which is averaging 5½ feet in width. C. E. Humphrey is in charge of operations.

A one foot ledge showing good specimen ore is reported struck in Eliza gulch by Fred James and Harry Hayes.

Some nice ore is reported by the Boswell brothers from their claims on Humbug creek. The samples were from a tellurium formation and show good values.

Girls today don't seem to be much interested in breaking hearts. But some of them go out of their way to keep our young men broke.

The high cost of livng is skidding at last. Uncle Sam has ordered a reduction in the tariff on silk hosiery.

We can't imagine anything more pathetic around this vacinity than seeing a horsefly light on a radiator.

HUGE CRYSTAL FOUND IN MOKELUMNE HILL MINE

The third largest world's quartz crystal that this mine has produced has just been taken from the McSorley quartz mine located at Chili Gulch near Mokelumne Hill. It is a seven point cluster. The height is 32 inches and 72 inches circumference. It is in these crystals that the noted Death Ray is found.

John McSorley still has hopes of finding a lump of clean quartz crystal big enough to grind to a 40 inch lens for the ginat telescope in the Yerkes observatory at Leke Geneva, Wisconsin. Charles T. Yerkes, founder of the observatory, announced that he would give $5,000,000 for a lens of clear crystal large enough to make a disk 40 inches in diameter. —Calaveras Prospect.

It has been revealed that the fellow who announced the discovery of a truth-telling serum lied about it.

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Formerly political campaigns were won by hollering in the street parades, no wthey are carried by the people who whisper to their friends to get out and vote.

Most of the serious automobile accidents occur on clear highways in broad daylight, so it appears that the safer conditions are made for the motorists, the more likely they are to get into trouble.

The time has gone by when the candidate who shook hands with the most people was the one who got elected.

The good student i a quite inconspicious figure on the athletic field, but when he goes after a job he is apt to get a chance in the inner office to talk with the boss.

The American people are said to be superstitious, but they do not seem to believe in the danger signs along the automobile roads of the nation.

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RAISINS VS GOLD

(Communicated)

The San Francisco Chronicle recently printed an article on the value of this state's raisin crop and boastingly called attention to its value as being far in excess of our annual production of gold.

Naturally at this time, the former is admitted to be several million dollarse in excess of our yearly gold production. But why does that paper single out raisins for a comparison? It would be just as sensible to say that some other crop, prunes for instance, is of more commercial value to the state than gold. And why such a compariosn at all?

All know that the gold yield has been dwindling slowly but has the Chronicle investigated the reasons for a reduced yield and made its report public? Or, when has it made an earnest effort to stimulate production?

There are many reasons why gold has been on the down grade. The principal one has been the indifference of Congress from a legislative standpoint, and a manifest attempt to sieze upon the production, large or small, as a basis for the collection of more revenue. Gold is as attractive to the moderns as it was of old. At any rate, nothing seems to escape the collectors of all forms of taxes all the way down the line until the mine owner is allowed to retain a little for the sake of encouragement.

Now let us examine the tax collector's attitude.

The Federal Government allows any citizen to locate mineral on public lands. Let us suppose the claim develops into a producer as hundreds have. In these latter days the first toll on production is a percentage on Federal account. Everyone knows the disposition of that| Then comes the state compensation act followed by state and county taxes for new high and grammar schools, fire or other special taxes, should the mine happen to be within the confines of some of these smaller cities so prevalent in the mining districts. Then comes labor, power and material. In all there are ten different forms of expenses which the mine owner must meet or cease operating. Each is a charge on production and the levies never seem to grow smaller These features constitute one point for a reduced production.

Here is another: Several years ago Congress very accomodatingly passed a grazing homestead act at the request of the cattle and sheep interests. The acquiring of title to these lands was made easy. Naturally. Much or nearly all of this class of land is covered with mineral locations. When the entryman makes an application to enter proof and purchase, usually one or more protestants file an affidavit alleging the land to be more valuable for mineral than for grazing. The government sends out a viewer, sometimes some recent graduate from a mining school with E. M. attached to his name and whose practical knowledge of geology and allied subjects might be termed about nil. This fresh aspirant feels he is sent out to find a way to favor the cattle and sheep men and suppres the mineral locator with the result that the former stands the best chance of winning out. "No mine. No mineral in sight. Location not worth the expenditure of more money" are favorite terms used. What prospector or small mine owner would have any chance with any such influence. His most positive protection would be in the use of a winchester. Thousands of acres under that act have already passed into the hands of the grazing interests and applications for thousands more are pending. Our mineral reserves are being lessened just that much.

Then again the great mass of the present day public look on the small mine owner as one to shun, a despised individual, without any rights and who ought to be underground. He is abused, suspected, vilified and harased at every turn. It should be remembered that nearly all mines and mineral localities have been found by the despised prospector.

With the easy disposition of mineral bearing lands by a short sighted Congress, a lack of support and encouragement from the general government, the onerous tax systems, obstacles to patenting claims, driven from pillar to post, is it any wonder that many prospectors and small mine owners, victims of these conditions, are ready to throw up their hands in disgust?

And a howl goes up because of lesened gold production, when the reasons therefor are only too apparent.

Assessors and tax collectors are urged on, even intimidated in some counties, to extract the greatest possible amount of revenue from producing mines. Gold mines are looked on by the general farming communities as good taxable property. How often one hears: "The rich gold mines. Make them pay their just taxes," and similar remarks. As if the mine owners were freebooters and were escaping tax free. Ranchers invariably look upon every gold producer as a bonanza. It must not be expected that people with small minds can understand the everlasting expenses incident to producing gold. Neither do they comprehend that the average gold mine furnishes a ready cash market for all farm produce.

The glory of California is founded on its gold production of nearly four billions of dollars. That sum has left the state and gone into various marts of trade and the world is just that much richer. Production would increase by leaps and bounds were a liberal policy adopted by the government in fostering the gold mining industry rather than the popular one

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ROUGH AND READY JOTS

ROUGH AND READY, July 14, (Special to The Nugget)—Nearly all the residents here spent July 4th at Nevada City, Olympia Park and Uncle Tom's.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Rewey of Porterville, California, and Mrs. Edith Baker of Honolulu were visitors here July 5th. They are staying at the Nevada City Auto Park. Mr. Rewey is horticultural commissioner of Kern County. Mrs. Rewey and Mrs. Baker's mother, Mrs. Chas. Frost, formerly lived here.

Marion Single spent the 4th here with his brother, George Single.

Mrs. Capps and sons, Alton and Glenn, spent July 4th with relatives.

Neil Abbot and family, and Russel Abbott and family spent the Fuorth with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Abbott.

Mrs. George Single and Mrs. Geo. Howe went to Weimar Sunday to see Mrs. Single's sister-in-law, Mrs. Marion Single of Sacramento, who is ill there.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Spencer and family were here to spend the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McCrea.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunham of Willow brook Farm have gone to Santa Barbara for a two week's visit with relatives.

Jesse Ennor and family have gone to Jackson Meadows to their summer home.

Jack Mulchay has leased the Mulchay ranch and is going to raise potatoes for the market.

Mrs. A. E. McCrea and family spent Sunday in Marysville with her mother, Mrs. A. Wheaton. It was Mrs. Wheaton's birthday.

Little Marian Capps of Middletown, who has been spending some time with her Aunt, Mrs. George Single, for her health, has returned home. She is much improved.

The boys of Hague-Thomas-Hegerty Post are still busy getting the grounds ready for their second annual camp stew. They have put up a new iron gate on the grounds and now are talking of digging a well, which will be a great convenience as formerly all the water had to be hauled from the Casey ranch. A much larger crowd is expected this year than they had last year.

Clifford Capps, wife and two little children of Chester, Lassen county, are visitors here. They are accompanied by his mother and brother, Alton. Clifford has gone to Bullards Bar where he has secured employment.

Thi is the season when the big canning factories start putting up our meals for next year.

When you get a good look at a pessimist, you don't blame him for being one.

CAMP PAHATSI OPENS UP FOR THE BOY SCOUTS

Camp Pahatsi, the summer Camp of Tahoe Counsil, Boy Scouts, opened for the season yesterday and the following Nevada City boys have registered: Bob Tucker, Warren Chapman, Roland Muscardini, Ellis Clark, and George Stokes.

The camp is located at the same place as last year, on the South Fork of the Yuba River, seven miles east of Cisco. The advance party went up Thursday to get the camp ready, erect tents, build tables, and bridges and put in a dam for the swimming hole. Twenty five steel cots were provided by the Lions Clubs of Nevada City and Grass Valley, Auburn, Colfax and Newcastle which are much appreciated. Sundays will be visitors days at the camp.

Christenson is holding his own at the Sanitarium.

Mrs. W. E. Wright and daughter Eugenie who are spending the summer in Berkeley were up for the Fourth.

Grover Wilson was down from Washington on business last week.

L. L. Poates who has mining property in the Moores Flat section has ben up from Los Angeles and visiting the Buck Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward of Santa Barbara have been visiting their old home here

Fourth of July guests of the William Treglowns were Mrs. M. J. Treglown and Miss Helen Ahlstrom of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Merrit Nickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Nickerson of Sacramento.

Mrs. C. A. Libby and children have been here from Eureka to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G .Richards

Neither Hoover nor Smith has yet come out flat-footed on the bodded-hair issue.

Wisconsin is going to get much advertising out of the visit of the preident, but it will not have quite so many fish when Cal goes back.

If you want wild west doings nowadays, you have to go to the eastern cities where the bandits and hijackers are flourishng.

Subscrbe for The Nugget and keep posted on Nevada county news.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE

Of Offices for which cadidates are to be nominated at Primary Election, and the names of Political parties quarlified to participate therein:

Pursuant to Section4, Subdivision 1, of the Direct Primary Law, notice is hereby given that the offices for which candidates are to be nominated at the Primary Election to be held on Tuesday, the 28th day of August, 1928, together with the names of the Political party qualified to participate in such election are as follows:

Congressional Offices

Representative in Congress, 2nd Congressional District.

Legislative Offices

State Senator, Third Senatorial District.

Member of the Assembly, 9th Assembly District.

That the names of the Political parties qualified to participate in such election for nomination of candidates for each of the above mentioned offices are as follows:

Democratic
Prohibition
Republican
Socialist

Notice is hereby given that at said Primary Election, candidates are to be nominated to the following offices:

County Offices

Supervisor, First District, Nevada Township.

Supervisor, Second District, Grass Valley Townshrip.

Supervisor Fifth District, comprising the Townships of Meadow Lake and Little York.

Members of the County Central Committee

1st. Supervisorial District, Republicans 6., Democratic 5, Socialist 4 Prohibition 5.

2nd Supervisorial District, Republican 11, Democratic 10, Socialist 14, Prohibition 12.

3d Supervisorial District, Republican 1, Democratic 1, Socialist 1, Prohibition 1.

4th Supervisorial District, Republican 3, Democratic 2, Socialist 2, Prohibition 2.

5th. Supervisorial District, Republican 2, Democratic 4, Socialist 3, Prohibition 2.

And Notice is also hereby given that at said Primary Election in each Senatorial District, represented by a State Senator, whose term of office expires beyond the first Monday in January next succeeding said election, there shall be chosen by the electors of each Political party above named other than party with which said Senator was affiliated and by which he was nominated, ONE DELEGATE TO THE STATE CONVENTION, or such party; and that at said Primary Election there shall be elected a County Central Committee of each Political party above named as provided in subdivision 4 of Section 24, of the Direct Primary Law.

Dated July 5, 1928.

GEORGE COUGHLAN,
County Clerk of Nevada County, State of California.

One more sign of the lack of skilled labor is the weak planks in the political platforms.

Ananias certainly was born too soon. Just think what a princely salary he could—get nowadays writing real estate ads for boom towns.

LEGAL NOTICE

The California Debris Commission will hold a public hearing at 11:00 A. M., July 24, 1928, in Room 728 Wells Fargo Bldg., San Francisco, California, to receive protests against granting the application of D. E. Bleakley and W. W. Waggoner to mine by the hydraulic process the Relief Hill Gravel Mine located at Relief Hill draining into Union Canyon thence into South Yuba River and to impound tailings in Union Canyon and old mine pit at mouth of Union Canyon, one mile below the mine.

Dates of Publication—July 9, 16, 23, 1928.

SUMMONS
No. 5633

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

THE COSUMNES CO., a corporation, Plaintiff,

vs

DANA B. GETCHELL, JOHN RICHARDS, HANNAH RICHARDS, W. C. JEFFERY, E. M. JEFFERY, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest described in this complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto, Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Nevada, in which said action the Cosumnes Co., a corporation, is the plaintiff and the persons hereinafter named as defendants, are dfendants.

FORD E. GROVE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send greetings to Dana B. Getchell, John Richards, Hannah Richards, W. C. Jeffery, E. M. Jeffery, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in this summons, adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto. Defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, within ten days after service on you of this summons, if served within this County, or in thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, that said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages in the complaint arising upon contract or it will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

The following is a statement of the object of the action:

The object of the action is to determine all and every claim, estate, lien or interest in the property herein described; that the plaintiff is now and has been by itself and its predecessors in interest, the owner of and in the actual exclusive and adverse possession of the property hereinafter described continuously for the period of more than twenty years immediately preceding the filing of the complaint in this action, claiming to own the same in fee against the whole world, and that plaintiff has paid all taxes of every kind and nature whatever levied or assessed against said real property during the period of five years continuously immediately preceding the filing of the complaint aforesaid; that the claim or claims of said defendants is without, right, title, or interest in said real property or any part or portion thereof;

The land and premises affected by this action are situate in Uevada County, California, and particularly described as follows:

All that certain real property, situate, lying and being in the City of Nevada, County of Nevada, State of Calfifornia, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All those portions of Lots Four (4), Five (5) and Six (6), in Block Fifty three (53) of the City of Nevada, as said lots and Block are designated upon the official map of the City of Nevada made by H. S. Bradley in the year 1869, and particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a point which bears North 38° 27' East 36.74 feet from the Northeast corner of Lot 3 and also bears South 0° 16' East 61.09 feet from a steel drill at the corner of Valley Street and the lower Grass Valley Road; thence along the South side of the Lower Grass Valley road North 50° 37' East 14.93 feet; thence North 58° 19' East 16.08 feet; thence North 68° 12' East 8.60 feet; thence North 78° 25' East 109.89 feet; thence North 87° 53' East 24.93 feet to the North East corner of said lot, which point bears South 45° 34' West 715.92 feet from the corner where the Lower Grass Valley Road and Sacramento Street intersect; Thence along the East side of said lot South 22° 14' East 263.98 feet to the Southeast corner of said lot; thence South 81° 38' West 98.43 feet; thence North 38° 03' West 272.73 feet to the Northwest corner of said lot, the place of beginning.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the County of Nevada, State of California, this 4th day of June, 1928.

GEORGE COUGHLAN,
Clerk.

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PERSONAL MENTION

C. Dan McGanigal was in town from Downieville the past week on his way to San Francisco on a busines trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Richards have been up from Berkeley on a vist.

L. Legget has been here from San Francisco visiting his cousin, Charles Elliott.

Mis Virginia Dorsey of Gras Valley was married the past week to Mr. Raymond Arp of Roseville at the home of the bride' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Dorsey in Grass Valley.

POLITICAL CARDS

For Supervisor, 1st District—
FRANK DAVIES

Respectfully announces himself as a candidate for the office of Supervisor of the 1st District, Nevada County ,subject to the will of the voters at the Primary Election, August, 28th, 1928.

For State Senator—
WM. HAMAN

Republican candidate for State Sen-Announces himself a candidate for the office of State Senator, subject to the will of the voters at the Primary Election, August 28, 1928.

For Supervisor, 1st District—
CHARLES EDEN

Hereby announces himself as a candidate for Sueprvisor of the 1st District of Nevada County, at the Primary Election, August 28, 19..8.

For Supervisor, 1st District—
RICHARD A. EDDY
(Incumbent)

Hereby announces himself as a candidate for the office of Supervisor of the 1st District, subject to the decision of the voters, at the Primary Election, August 28, 1928.

For State Senator 3d District
LEOLA MAY BUCK

Practicing Lawyer in Lincoln and Roseville. Candidate for Republican and Democratic Nominations, Plumas, Sierra, Nevada, Placer and El Dorado Counties. Primary Election August 28, 1928.

For State Senator—
IVAN H. PARKER

Republican candidate for State Senator. Member California Legislature 42d, 43d and 44th Sessions. My Platform: Economy in State and County Government. Primaries August 28, 1928.

For the Assembly—
ED C. GAYLORD

The Miner-Farmer Candidate for the Assembly, 9th District, Nevada and Placer Counties. Formerly a member of the Assembly. Primary Election Tuesday, August 28, 1928.

For the Assembly—
Mrs. CORA WOODBRIDGE
(Incumbent)

Candidate for re-election, Member of the Assembly, 9th District, Placer and Nevada Counties, Primary Election, Tuesday, August 28, 1928.

B. A.

CASSIDY FOR THE STATE SENATE

3rd DISTRICT
El Dorado, Placer, Nevada
Sierra and Plumas Counties

Primary Election August 28, 1928

Souvenirs of Gold Nuggets and Quartz
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A SPLENDID VALUE

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THIS CENTRAL DOWNTOWN LOCATION
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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS OF INTEREST

CAMPTONVILLE JOTTINGS

The Sunday school resumed its sessions yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Kate Hope Livingston in charge

A nice entertainment was given by the high school students on Saturday evening with the following numbers:

Spanish Dance and Solo— ..... Miss Alta Winstead
Recitation, Ill Trovatore— ..... Miss Valentine Wilson
Piano Solo, Miss Wanda Chatfield
Recitation, A War Time Sermon by Parson Brown ....Kenneth Schuur
Violin Solo—.....Jessie Smart
One Act Play, "The Man Next Door," Cast of characters: .....
Pillip Melville,..... John Lord
Jack Winstar, Winsmore Chapman
Constance Parker, ... Valentine Wilson
Mary ..... Kenneth Schurr

The cries of a mountain lion awakened the residents one evening last week.

Mervin Lutz, who is employed by the Oak Valley Lumber Co., was driven off the road by a woman motorist the other evening. He pulled off the road as far as he could but she hit his car, a heavy blow. Coming at a place where there was plenty of room, there was no occasion for the carelessness.

A first aid and towing service unit of the National Auto Club has been established at the Lang Garage.

The young son of Mrs. J. P. Smart received severe burns on the hands when he spilled hot grease on himself.

A skunk made a nocturanl visit to the Calvin chicken yard the other night and dispatched two young turkeys before he was disposed of. This was the second skunk to make a visit to the Calvin premises.

The student body of the high school has elected Winsmore Chapman as president, Donald Humphrey vice president, Kenneth Schurr treasurer, Alta Winstead secretary, John F. Lord athletic director, Jessie Smart chairman social committee and Wanda Chatfield librarian.

The aurora borealis was plainly visible on Friday and Saturday nights.

James L. Joubert while christening a new bicycle the other day, ran into a rattler on the road. Calling for assistance the reptile was dispatched by Bill Joubert, who is visiting here from Oakland.

A number of local people picnicked at Freeman Crossing Sunday. Those making up the party were: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bishop and daughter, Mrs. John G. Ramm, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Calvin, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hays and son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Julius E. Pauly and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Halkyard and son and daughter of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Price and daughter ,Elsie, Mrs. C. W. Turner, Miss Eleanor Turner, Lawrence Turner and Esmond J. Humphrey.

Many valley people are coming up this way to recuperate from the extreme heat. R. L. Mayhood who runs an auto camp and service station near Tracey is making his home at the Briscoe ranch. J. O. Hultburg and sister, Mrs. Haseltine, brother, Dr. Hultburg are camping two miles north of town.

The Camptonville schools have resumed work after a week's vacation the Fourth. Miss Doris Nightengale is teacher and principal in the grammar school together with Mrs. J. P. Smart of Nevada City. Mrs. Kate Hope Livingston is in charge of the high school. New pupils in the lower grades are Laverne Smart, Lewis and Donald Winstead, and Hazel and Rose Marie Smart in the upper grades while Wanda Chatfield, Jessie Smart and Alta Winstead are registered as new ones in the high school. William A. Lang brings in the pupils from Celestial and Oak Valleys and Louie Marquardt from the Mill Creek section.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hays entertained a number of relatives Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Halkyard, who have been visiting relatives in this section.

Abe Lohman, who is a pioneer rancher of this section escaped serious injury when he went off the grade and rolled into the canyon the other day, while he was enroute from Northern Yuba county to North San Juan. He drove to the edge of the highway and leaned over to get a switch. He lost his balance and rolled down the bank. The team remained standing. Several travelers went to Mr. Lohman's rescue. He was considerably bruised.

F. A. Schmidt motored to Grass Valley Saturday.

Joseph Allison, former resident arrived Monday and will remain here for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Faulk of Woodleaf were in town Monday.

NORTH SAN JUAN JOTS

NORTH SAN JUAN, July 14, (Special to The Nugget)—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burkett and daughter, Mrs. Elwin Burmingham of Buffalo were recent visitors here in town Friday and Saturday.

The Harmony Hill Party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hull, Mrs. B. Corcoran of Berkeley and H. P. Goodman and George Goodman of Oakland visited relatives and friends here Friday.

Mrs. Bennie Little and son, Milton visited friends here Friday from San Francisco.

Ernie Norton of Oakland is here visiting friends for a few weeks.

Mrs. Ethel Statler of Sacramento viited friends here for a few days last week.

Mrs. Frank Wood and Miss Dona Bank came up from Sweetland one night this week on a visit to friends Mr. Woods accompanied them.

The dance held here Saturday night was largely attended and at the early hours in the morning the strains of Home Sweet Home were played and all departed for their homes.

Ruby Thompson, Rose Thursland, Evan Lawlor and Jack Kendis motored to Bridgeport one day this week on a picnic and swimming party.

Percy Clay is visiting here from Marysville. Mr. Clay is a former resident.

Gordon Kessler and family also of Marysville is here on a visit and the Kesslers are also former residents.

Jean McCullough and Miss Dot Stanton were county seat visitors one day this week. They were accompanied by Helen McCullough.

Lawrence Calanan, Billie Rector and Carl Heronimus of Ray's Ranch were visitors in town Thursday.

Miss Pete Remick and Mrs. J. H. Davis of Fresno were visitors here Monday.

A. F. Thore of Tyler visited friends here one day this week.

A truck load of men have gone up to Bowman Dam to repair the flumes and get water down to the Ridge once again.

J. B. Kerfoot passed thru town one night this week enroute to his home above Downieville.

Postmaster K. J. Fogarty returned to his home after a week spent at the lakes above Downieville and Sierra City. Mr. Fogarty said he surely enjoyed his trip but only wished he could have stayed longer.

Mrs. Ruby Thompson left Friday for a visit at the Bay region.

Mrs. P. Butz and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bowers and son were visiting here Thursday from Celestial Valley.

Mark Cross of Camptonville was in town enroute to Nevada City one day this week.

Henry Huckins went to Nevada City on business on Thursday.

Dr. W. F. Corbett left one day this week for his home in Oakland and his family will remain here for a few weeks more.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris were county seat visitors one day this week.

W. Painter and wife of Grass Valley were visitors here one night this week.

Mrs. Jean Goldkette of Sparks, Nevada, was visiting here one day this week.

Paul Gabbart and Miss Myrtle Wells of Grass Valley visited here Monday.

Judge John Engs was in town enroute to his home in Downieville

Forest Ranger Frank W. Meggers motored to Red Ledge Mine Tuesday on business.

CLASSIFIED ADS

CLASSIFIED RATES

One cent a word for first insertion two cents a word for one month. Minimum rate, 25c, one time, 50c for month.

WANTED—A mule or horse broke single for tunnel work. Must be gentle and true. Address Kate Hardy Mining Company, Goodyears Bar or telephone Brush Creek Mine. 29ch.

WANTED—Complete boarding house equipment including range, dishes, cooking utensils, cutlery. Address O. E. Schiffner, National Hotel, Nevada City, giving details, location, price wanted. 29ch

I HAVE INSTALLED A HEMstitching machine and pleater in my dressmaking shop on Nevada Street, and orders for work of this kind will be promptly executed. Mrs. Ira Andrews, residence just back of W. P. Jones. 26tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Desirable home, furnished or unfurnished. Six rooms, bath, laundry room, garage, etc. Gas and electricity. Fine grounds. Fruit trees and grape vines. 344 Long Street. S. M. Katzer. 34chtf

MUSICAL

PROFESSIONAL LESSSONS on the Traps and Bass Drums. Inquire of Percival Mills, Grissell Store. 16tf

PROOFS OF LABOR

Continued from front page

W. Norton.
Golden Edna placer by Ed M. Martine.
Afterthought and Discovery by Eugene Gray.
Bonanza quartz by James T. Dillon.
Mt. Vernon and Extension No. 1 quartz by T. T. Kirkham.
Iron Pot, No. 16, Rainbow, Crows Nest ,Butte, Yellow Jacket and Last Chance by Fred C. Whitwell.
Ivey, Frandy, Black and Coughlan placer by D. E. Coughlan.
Lucky Strike and Junction placer by Lee Mason.
Boston Lode quartz by Vincent Morandi.
Davis Flat placer by B. Moscatelli.
Mammoth Springs Ext. placer by John M. Cotter.
Boomerang Nos. 1, 2 and 3 by H. C. Lewis.
Ramseys Mine placer by Frances Ann S. Ramsey.
Surprise quartz and Washington Superior placer by M. Crowley.
Enterprise, Denver and Selina quartz by R. F. Williamson.
Chapparel quartz by J. P. Muscardini.
Maher and McCormack by George A. Legg.
New Mohawk quartz by Ben A. Bost.
Randolph Cons. by H. C. Schroeder.
Jackson Lake and Valley View quartz by H. C. Schroeder.
Harvard Lode by G. L. Bagley.
Golden Heifer, Brandy Flat and quartz by H. O. Kohler.
Magnet No. 1, Golden Dream and Stark quartz and Hope asbestos by H. O. Kohler.
Niantic et al by C. J. Schuster.
Sierra Neva by Frank B. Hastings.
Grubstake placer by Alfred Nicholson.
Red. Mt. Bokay quartz by Horace Mann.
Big Bob et al quartz by Horace Mann.
Aurora et al placer by Thomas C. Botting.
Rainbow Fraction quartz by Joseph Kauffman.
W. Y. O. D. et al by F. W. Nobs.
National Extension by Chester R. McKillican.
Tiger or Forlorn Hope by E. B. Scott.
Riverview placer by R. B. Hill.
oSuth Extension Eagle Bird et al by Mickey Schultz.

P. S. Waldron was down from the Plumbago mine last week.

M. J. O'Connor was here from Birchville Thursday veening on business.

Rev. N. A. Snow and family have ben here from Santa Cruz as guests at J. R. Ivey home.

Lionel Davis is visiting in Vallejo and the bay region for a short time.

ST. CANICE'S CHURCH

Masses at 8 and 10:30 a. m. on the first and second Sundays of each month. Third and fourth Sundays. Mass at 8 o'clock.

Third Sunday of each month, Mass in Cherokee at 10:30.

Fourth Sunday. Mass in Birchville at 10:30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Morning service at 11 a. m.
Epworth League at 6 p. m.
Evening service at 7 p. m.
Mid week prayer service Wednesday evening at 7. p. m.

H. H. Buckner, pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Meets every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at Brand's Studio, Broad street. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Our Sunday School meets at ten o'clock for pupils up to the age of 20 years.

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Telephone 56

$3000 WORTH GOLD ORE HELD OP BY SHERIFF

Four bags of gold ore, said to contain about $3000 worth of gold, the last taken from the Four Aces mine on the Foresthill divide before its operation was impeded by attachments, have been taken by Sheriff Elmer Gum of Placer county, and are in the vaults of a local bank, to be used to satify the claims of creditors.

Meanwhile all employes except watchmen have been discharged at the mine, and no attempts will be made to operate it until the financial conditions are straightened out.

The mine, formerly the Three Queens, was purchased by a Los Angeles syndicate about two years ago at a reputed price of $750,000, and had been operated by a crew of about forty men up to the time of the recent troubles. —Placer Herald.

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STAGE SCHEDULES

Downieville Mail and Passenger Stage departs at 1 p. m. daily except Sunday for North San Juan, Camptonville and Downieville, arriving at Downieville at 5 p. m. Leaves Downieville at 6:30 a. m. making connection at Nevada City with the N. C. N. G. pasenger train for Sacramento and San Francisco.

Alleghany and Forest Stage leaves Nevada City daily except Sunday at 1:00 p. m. for Tyler, North Columbia, Alleghany and Forest. Leaves Forest 6:30 a. m. for Nevada City.

Graniteville Stage leaves Nevada City daily except Sunday for Lake City, North Bloomfield, Moores Flat and Graniteville at 7 a. m. Leaves Graniteville at 7 a. m. for Nevada City.

Washington Stage for Washington Maybert and Gaston leaves Nevada City daily except Sunday at 6:30 a. m. Leaves Washington at 6:30 a. m. for Nevada City.

Marysville Auto Stage leaves Nevada City daily at 8: a. m. for Rough & Ready, Smartsville, Hammonton and Marysville. Leaves Marysville at 1 p. m.

N. C. N. G. R. R. COMPANY TIME TABLE AND RATES

Effective Sunday, Sept. 25, 1927

Train leaves Nevada City at 5:2 a. m., Grass Valley at 5:50 a. m arriving San Francisco, 1:30 p. m

Train leaves Nevada City at 11:0 a. m., Grass Valley 11.25 a. m. making direct connection with S. P Train 23 arriving at San Francisco 5:10 p. m.

Train leaves Nevada City at 4:4 p. m., Gras sValley 5:05 p. m., making direct connection with S. P. Train 40 leaving San Francisco at 1 p. m., enabling passengers to arrive at Grass Valley 7:35 p. m. and Nevada City, 7:56 p. m.

Grass Valley Fares

To Colfax, $1.00. Five day round trip $1.50. To Sacramento $3.2? 14 day round trip $4.00. To San Francisco $6.4?. 3 months round trip $10.75. Tickets sold Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, 16 days round trip $9.50.

Nevada City Fares

To Colfax $1.15.Five day round trip $1.75. To Sacramento $3.37. 14 day return trip $4.50. To San Francisco $6.61. 3 months round trip $11.05. Tickets sold Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, $9.80.

SUMMER RATES

Effective April 27 to September 30—

Stopovers allowed on 16 day and 3 month tickets.

Nevada City to San Francisco, 16 day limit, $9:00; Grass Valley $8:50

Nevada City to Alameda, Berkeley or Oakland, 16 day limit, $8:75; Grass Valley, $8:25.

Nevada City to Alameda, Berkeley or Oakland, 3 month limit, $10:25; Grass Valley $10:00.

Nevada City to Los Angeles, via Stockton,both ways, 16 days limit, $26:50; Grass Valley $26.25.

Nevada City to Los Angeles via Stockton both ways, 3 months limit, $31.50; Grass Valley $31.25.

Nevada City to Los Angeles, via Stockton one way, returning via San Francisco or vice versa, 16 day limit, $29.00; Grass Valley $28.75.

Nevada City to Los Angeles via Stockton one way, returning via San Francisco or vice versa, 3 months, $34.25; Grass Valley $34.00.

Nevada City to Truckee, 16 day limit, $6.00; Grass Valley $5.75.

Nevada City to Truckee, 3 month limit, $6.75; Grass Valley $6.50.

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Ed Burtner, Proprietor
Phone 375W 111 West Main St.

WISKER REFUSES WATER

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vada Irrigation District. With Mr. Miller's concurrence and consent I have so reported to Nevada Iriigation District and this letter is to advise you that I can see no hope of any cooperation along the lines suggested.

At the same time, my general study of your problem and the physical conditions on the ridge convinces me that a m uchmore favorable opportunity for caring for your immediate needs exists in the suggested development of water at the Laird pit where it appearc that a water supply sufficient for at least 2000 acres could be developed. It would appear to me that the better policy for the San Juan ridge would be to make this development which is far in excess of present agricultural needs and let distant future development rest until such time as a water supply may be brought in through the resumption of hydraulic mining.

Very truly yours,

A. L. Wisker, Gen. Mgr.

Winter snow slides have caused a considerable portion of the flume system to be damaged and destroyed and the San Juan people have been cogitating ways and means of rebuilding the ditch system and making use of their water rights. Negotiations were opened with the Rescue Eula Mining Company and its general manager Otto E. Schiffner, and the Yellow Tiger Consolidated Mining Company and its general manager Gordon M. Bettles, who contemplate opening the Gaston Ridge and Ancho mining properties, and a tentative agreement was entered into whereby the mining companies would stand a portion of the cost of such rebuilding in return for the use of the flume and ditch betwen Bowman and Gaston Ridge. Crews of men were recruited by the Water Association and put to work at the upper end of the system. The refusal of the district management to permit the use of water to float the lumber to where it is needed means that the flume system cannot be repaired without the almost prohibitive cost of constructng a track or runway along the top of the flume, or olwering the lumber down the precipitous hillides along which the flume runs.

Under its terms of lease the Water Association would not be permitted to furnish any water for mining purposes but the mining companies had made their own arrangements to secure water.

The present management of the irrigation district has apparently been entirely hostile to the needs of the San Juan Ridge and proposes to balk its efforts to get on its feet again. The diversion of the water from the Middle Yuba which would nevr have been permitted in any way other than through the operations of the irrigation district laws, has been a serious factor in the San Juan water situation. The purpose of the present management of the district seems to be to squeeze every drop of water out of the Yuba watershed and dump it into Lake Spaulding for power generation. With the financial crisis impending it is not likely that much if any water is going to be permitted to run down the San Juan Ridge for the benefit of its residents when it can be turned into Money at Spaulding.

The matter brought up of the Laird fill has very serious limitation in the acreage it can supply and entirely eliminates the territory between North Columbia and Graniteville. The fill or Little Grass Valley will make excellent storage sites for handling water on the lower slopes but the ditch sytem and the vested water rights at Bowman are to be utilized at as early a date as possible and it will make for much better feeling between the Ridge and the lower sections of the county if the irrigation management shows a disposition to work with the Ridge people. The Owens river controversy should not have a counterpart in Nevada county and find the Ridge further denuded.

Paul Gabbert, one of the foremen at the Murchie mine was married the past week to Miss Myrtle Wells of Gras Valley at a quiet ceremony. The happy couple have been honeymooning in the bay region.

Judge Raglan Tuttle has returned from holding sessions of court in Oakland.

Master Ainsley Foyer has his tonsils an adenoids removed by Dr. A. H. Tickell at the Nevada City Sanitarium last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fogarty came up from San Francisco last week to spend some time in Willow Valley.

Mrs. C. H. King of San Francisco has been a guest at the W. S. Coughlan home. Other guests have been Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Coughlan and children of Alameda.

The buildings at the old Ocean Star mine near Washington were razed by a forest fire last week.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Unless a suitable dump is found, I will have to discontinue hauling garbage at an early date.

Ad. San Trevethick.

FRENCH CORRAL WORKERS LEAVE FOR BOWMAN

FRENCH CORRAL, July 14, (Special to The Nugget)—Our summer is speeding on, and if the high temperature of the past week concontinues, many of us will be glad to have it speed much faster. Though we should not complain, for no matter how hot the day, the nights are cool and refreshing. Truly we have a wonderful climate.

Despite all this, the hand of death is ever busy, and if it comes not from sickness, it comes tragically and removes from our midst, our best and worthy members. We cannot soon recover from the shock caused by the tragic death of Frank M. Nilon. All deply deplore his untimely ending and his family have our deepest sympathy. Although not of French Corral, we feel a closeness to him, for aside from being associated in a business way, his worthy father, faithfully and honorably, served our county for so many years in an official capacity, and his mother was of our San Juan Ridge Her family was one of the pioneer families of North San Juan. Her father, the late John T. Morgan for many years had mining interests in French Corral, and was one of the principal owners of the famous Kansas mine of this place.

Several of the old Ridgeites visited here in the last week:

Misses Sarah and Elizabeth Davis of Oakland and their niece Miss Margaret Davis of Sutter Creek, and Mr. Lean of Oakland were visitors this past week. They were accompanied by Mrs. K. Wood who is visiting with the family of her son, Frank Wood of Sweetland. The Misses Davis were formerly of Sweetland, having spent childhood and girlhood in that place. Both were for many years on our staff of county teachers.

Sam McCullough of North San Juan was a visitor Saturday. He was accompanied by F. Harris of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. J. Roach of Oakland were Sunday visitors. Mrs. Roach is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hunt. and all are old Sweetlanders. Every summer they spend some weeks in North San Juan for their fondness for the old Ridge never wanes.

Dr. W. P. Sawyer and daughters Misses Dorothy and Miriam, visited friends in French Corral Sunday.

Mrs. A. Bishop of Marysville, with friends is spending some time at her summer home in French Corral.

L. Franciscovich of Marysville is spending some time in French Corral.

Joe Swazey who has been in the employ of K. J. Phelan of Tyler, returned to French Corral Sunday. He with other volunteer workers has gone to Bowman Dam.

A. Browning made a trip to Bowman Dam Tuesday to take volunteer workers to that place. They are doing repair work, preparatory to getting water on the Ridge.

George Sweetland went to Bowman Dam Tuesday.

W. E. Moulton made a trip to Bowmans Tuesday.

A. Browning made his usual trip to Sacramento Wednesday.

Mrs. J. D. Morris of this place in on the sick list.

Frank Murphy and Bill Palmer of Montezuma Hill made a trip to French Corral yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Conner were French Corral visitors Friday.

Auto camping parties are passing through here every day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Coughlan of Oakland and Jerry Coughlan of Taft were here to attend the funeral of Mr. Annie C. Spellenberg.

A. C. Larsen suffered a fall at his home last week which incapacitated him for a few days.

J. C. Kessler a former sealer of weights and measures in this county was here from Los Angeles last week

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacobs, Sr. have returned from a trip to Susanville.

Mrs. Nellie Phelan has been entertaining the J. T. Phelans of Oakland.

The total payments into the county treasury the pat month were $15,799.35.

A fountain pen and pencil were presented to Deputy Sheriff William Rickard by his former Empire associates last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Leatham have returned to Grass Valley after an eastern trip of some weeks.

Henry Huckins was down from North San Juan on business one day last week.

J. C. Kretz was here from Goodyears MBar on business last week.

E. T. Bradbury was up from Oakland on business last week.

James Grimes and Miss Ruth Grimes left for their home in Oakland Thursday.

ELLEFSETH HOME WAS SCENE OF NICE PARTY

SMARTSVILLE, July 14, (Special to The Nugget)—Mrs. Nellie Dussell has returned from a motor trip to Oregon with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Cheatham, daughter, Dorothy, and son, Robert, of Maywood, Los Angeles, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Colling.

Miss Alice Toland of Oakland is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Bach.

James Wheaton of Marysville was a visitor to Smartsville last week end.

John McQuaid completed his duties as postmaster of Smartsville last week and took his final departure for his home in Marysville, at which time Mrs. Earl Colling assumed her duties as postmistress of Smartsville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson with their daughter, Agnes, and son, George, of Anaheim, California, after an absence of twenty years, enjoyed a week's vacation here, visiting old friends and taking a happy view of old scenes in and around Smartsville.

Gilbert Cheatham, Mrs. Earle Colling and Mrs. Bertha Gassaway, were visiting at Brown's Valley last Monday.

The funreal of William Cooney, who passed away after a week's illness, was held here last Thursday morning, Rev. Father O'Meara conducting High Mass for the repose of his soul. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to his wife, in the loss of a devoted husband. Mr. Cooney was a good citizen and friend, and his loss is keenly felt in this community.

Misses Arvilla and Betty Lou Harris of San Francisco are the guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Colling.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Brien of Hammonton, Mrs. Agnes Weber Meade, Mrs. T. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. J. McQuaid Wm. Dempsey and Miss Mary Meade of Marysville, attended the funeral of William Cooney last Thursday.

Mrs. W. Himes of Sacramento is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary Cooney.

Lester Dussell took his departure yesterday for San Francisco where he will remain for a few days, under the care of a physician.

This community was profoundly shocked to learn of the accident to Frank Nilon of Grass Valley, which resulted in his untimely death. He made many friends here, by his genial manner, and kindly interest in others, who will miss his pleasant visits and be saddened by his death. This community extends most heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved wife, his devoted mother and father, sister and brother, who has sustained such a deplorable loss.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Peckham, Mrs. Denise, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Hacker of Waldo were calling upon friends here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bristow and daughter, Virginia, of Niles are visiting Mrs. Bristow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey.

Miss Retha Downey has returned from a few day's visit with friends at Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bristow and daughter, Virginia, of Niles, are visiting Mrs. Bristow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Havey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Downey, Miss Beth Downey, Russell Wilson and Margaret Smittcamp of Nevada City visited Miss Retha Downey, on Wednesday evening.

A group of twenty out of town friends motored to the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ellefseth for a day's outing last week, and were entertained at a dinner party by the host and hostess. The affair having its setting on the beautiful shaded lawn at the Ellefseth home.

The Misses Josephine, Helen and Agnes O'Brien are spending their summer vacation at their country home in Smartsville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Herboth and son, Mrs. E. Conrath and Miss Mary Baker of Marysville visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Quinkert last Sunday.

Mrs. W. Newbert, Mrs. J. Murphy and daughter, Ruth, and Ellis McKenzie visited Mrs. M. Wright of Waldo last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Nellie Dussell and Mike O'Connor of Smartsville visited friends in Marysville last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cramsie are visiting friends in San Francisco for a few weeks.

Mrs. W. Himes, Mr. and Mrs. W. Walsh and Mrs. Mary Cooney spent the day in Marysville last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Beatty of Fresno were the guests of Mrs. Beatty's sister, Miss Retha Downey, Thursday evening.

FRANK M. NILON KILLED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

Frank Morgan Nilon, well known and popular young attorney, lost his life in an automobile accident at an early hour last Tuesday morning on the state highway between Nevada City and Auburn. He was returning from a trip to San Francisco where he had gone the day before, and after attending theater, was driving home. The only reason advanced for the accident is that he had momentarily gone to sleep while driving

The machine plunged from the road at a point on Dry creek south of Dew Drop Inn and was a mass of wreckage where it landed after its leap. Mr. Nilon was thrown clear of the car and suffered injuries which caused his instant death. He had passed a truck a few minutes before at Bear river and its driver was the first to discover the accident. Coroner T. M. Harris, traffic officer Joe Blake and the Jefford ambulance were soon at the scene.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday morning at the Elks Hall, Mr. Nilon being a Past Exalted Ruler and an honored member. There was a large outpouring of members and friends and the floral tributes banked high about the bier were numerous and bore beautiful, mute testimony of the high esteem in which the Nilon family is held in this community. The impressive ritual of the Elks lodge of sorrow was never more impressively rendered, prseided over by Exalted Ruler T. W. Richards. The eulogy was delivered by G. J. Rector and Rev. C. W. Pearson read a portion of the Episcopal burial service.

Deceased was born June 28, 1891, at Nevada City. He was educated in the local schools and graduated from the University of California in 1914 after which he entered Boalt Hall for the study of law and was admitted to the bar in 1916. He was associated with his father, Judge F. T. Nilon and handled the Grass Valley office of the firm. During the world war he started for France as a lieutenant but was stricken with influenza on the way over and was in a New Jersey hospital when the armistice was signed. He resumed his law practice and was considered one of the most brilliant members of the bar in the history of Nevada county. He was married to Mrs. Dorothy Starr Downing last December, the wedding being one of the society events of the winter season. He was also a Past President of Hydraulic parlor, Native Sons, and of the Grass Valley Rotary Club.

Mr. Rector's masterly eulogy so completely expresses the esteem in which Mr. Nilon was held in his home community that it is reprinted in full on page two of this issue.

Surviving are the sorrowing wife, the parents, Judge and Mrs. F. T. Nilon, a brother William T. Nilon of Oakland, and a sister, Mrs. George F. Hampton of San Francisco.

The Pacific Gas & Electric Company picnic of the Drum division was held at Olympia Park yeterday aftersnoon and was largely attended.

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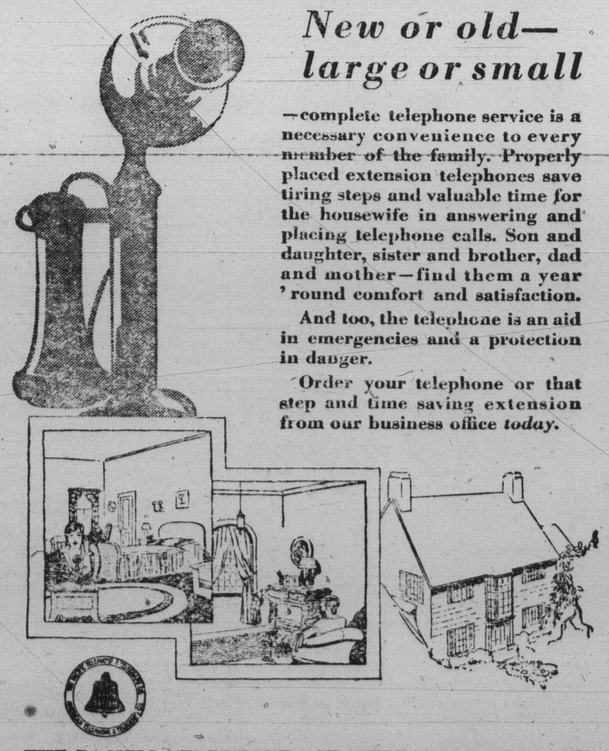

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